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METTLER, MARTHA[MCLARK@idem.IN.gov]

Cc: Kaplan, Robert[kaplan.robert@epa.gov]; Hyde, Tinka[hyde.tinka@epa.gov]; Pierard,

Kevin[pierard.kevin@epa.gov]; Kuefler, Patrick[kuefler.patrick@epa.gov]

From: Parker, Niles

**Sent:** Thur 6/25/2015 6:55:42 PM

Subject: RE: 2015-2017 IDEM/USEPA Performance Partnership Agreement (PPA) - Revised 6/25/15

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With sentence changed from the below email in W-4 (top of page 33).

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From: Melcer, Allen [mailto:melcer.allen@epa.gov]

Sent: Thursday, June 25, 2015 2:37 PM

To: PIGOTT, BRUNO; CLARK METTLER, MARTHA

Cc: Parker, Niles; Kaplan, Robert; Hyde, Tinka; Pierard, Kevin; Kuefler, Patrick

Subject: RE: 2015-2017 IDEM/USEPA Performance Partnership Agreement (PPA) - Revised 6/25/15

Hi Niles.

I just talked to Kevin Pierard and he agrees that the language Bruno proposes is correct. Please change the PPA to state

U.S. EPA R5 will review NPDES discharge permits greater than 5 million gallons per day (MGD) in the Lake Michigan basin and NPDES discharge permits greater than 1 million gallons

per day (MGD) that directly discharge to Lake Michigan.

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From: PIGOTT, BRUNO [mailto:BPIGOTT@idem.IN.gov]

**Sent:** Thursday, June 25, 2015 1:34 PM **To:** CLARK METTLER, MARTHA

Cc: Parker, Niles; Melcer, Allen; Kaplan, Robert; Hyde, Tinka

Subject: Re: 2015-2017 IDEM/USEPA Performance Partnership Agreement (PPA) - Revised

6/25/15

So Niles, can you please insert the language I suggested in my email and send out? Here is the language:

U.S. EPA R5 will review NPDES discharge permits greater than 5 million gallons per day (MGD) in the Lake Michigan basin and NPDES discharge permits greater than 1 million gallons per day (MGD) that directly discharge to Lake Michigan.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 25, 2015, at 1:30 PM, CLARK METTLER, MARTHA < MCLARK@idem.IN.gov > wrote:

There is this language in case one of real concern pops up: IDEM and U.S. EPA R5 will evaluate the list annually (e.g. FY15 midterm adjustment) to identify additional permits for U.S. EPA R5 to review based on national and regional priorities and/or permits to remove from the list (speaking of removing, I hope the coal GP was removed).

From: PIGOTT, BRUNO

Sent: Thursday, June 25, 2015 2:26 PM

To: Parker, Niles

Cc: Melcer, Allen; kaplan.robert@epa.gov; Tinka Hyde; CLARK METTLER, MARTHA

Subject: Re: 2015-2017 IDEM/USEPA Performance Partnership Agreement (PPA) - Revised

3/25/15

I'm sorry to pick at this one, but I think it means a great deal to us. Can we please change it and call this finished?

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On Jun 25, 2015, at 1:24 PM, PIGOTT, BRUNO < BPIGOTT@idem.IN.gov > wrote:

Tinka, Bob, Alan and Niles-

I just saw the language on the permit review and do not think it captures what Martha had negotiated. We want it to say the following:

U.S. EPA R5 will review NPDES discharge permits greater than 5 million gallons per day (MGD) in the Lake Michigan basin and NPDES discharge permits greater than 1 million gallons per day (MGD) that directly discharge to Lake Michigan.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 25, 2015, at 1:12 PM, Parker, Niles < NPARKER@idem.IN.gov > wrote:

Please find attached the revised copy of the 2015-2017 Performance Partnership Agreement (PPA) between the IN Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 5 (U.S. EPA R5).

Please let us know if further information is needed. Thank you.

## Niles

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